

THE TOME CIRCLE PAGE

Devoted to Women and Their Interests



For the Friend Who is Going a-Traveling

lection of bundles all wrapped in ernoon that box was popular. red, white and blue tissue paper. "Another popular package was a world. Moreover, I was going not more perishable varieties. merely to travel, but to study in "One kind friend had tucked of my friends had an acquaintance perfectly. sailing on that ship, a woman whom | "Other gifts that are always use-

all sorts of interesting packages be- | checkers set. ing piled up in my stateroom. One Just now I am packing a surcushion, with a pretty washable on a trip across the cointnent. As their points stuck into a pair for each child. cork which was covered with a fluf- "Here is one handy little thins little bag gathered up into a com- tels and want to wash out a hand- decisions.

"Then there were the 'eats,' as the schoolgirls call them. One sur- Here is a cold-sore cure: Two to her country as a messenger and prise box was a constant source of parts castor oil to one quart spirits teacher of the art of flying, and she entertainment. To be sure, one does of camphor. It is very simple and was accepted by the government. 100 miles an hour. I did it in a litgood steamer there are more meals for sore nose caused by cold in the go, and is ready at any moment to of weariness. For one thing, one it is stretched and tacked as closely this box offered substitutes for some can be bought in bulk of the drug- can use her skill. of those regular meals, that were gist. It's a first rate salve to have "You ask me how I happened to very welcome. In each corner was on hand, by the way, for it heals learn to operate an aeroplane," Miss the region of cloud and for safety. When this is quite dry give the floor a small individual jar of jam, home- pimples quicker than any other lo- Law continued. "I don't know, un- The air is clear and bracing up a coating of orange shellac. After made, and each one different. Then tion known.

"I shall never forget the delight- | there were four little packages of ful gifts that were showered upon thin, salty wafers, done up in oiled me the first time I started off on a paper. Other little bundles conlong trip," remarked The Woman tained salted nuts, each kind, wai-Who Travels, busily going on with jouts, pecans and peanuts, done up the work in which her unexpected separately and lying down flat in caller found her engaged, that of the center of the box was a bottying up an interesting looking col- tie of olives. Along late in the aft-

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"It was my first trip to Europe and, glass jar of lemon drops, good acid of course, I was much excited at ones. Hard candy is, as a rule, the crossing that Atlantic ocean which most satisfactory kind to take my forefathers had braved when when traveling, whether by land or they came to help settle this new by sea, for it keeps better than

France, and, contrary to my expec- away at the very bottom of the pile tations, I was obliged to travel of gifts in my stateroom a neat lit-I did not mind that much, the book holder of dark green leathfor I was going on a rather small er, with my initials embossed in boat and I was sure that I would gold and two handles by which to meet pleasant people. In fact, one carry it. My guide book fitted this

she liked very much, and I was to ful are veils and scarfs, heavy meet her before we sailed, for my gloves, easily carried toilet articles, friend was coming to see us both preferably those that will fit into a l neat little case, and small games, "It was all gay and exciting, with such as a leather pocket chess of

small box contained a little pin prise box for a friend who is going pink linen cover. This was made she has three little children to be to hang on the wall and I found a entertained and kept busy and hapconvenient hook all ready for it, py all the way. I am making this a beside the mirror. Another pack- family box with some small toys black and white silk and drawing materials, paper and pensmall ball of black darn- cils-with erasers and colored ing silk, a paper of needles, assort- cravons, and, of course, a pair of ed sizes, and a funny little pair of small blunt scissors, or rather, a

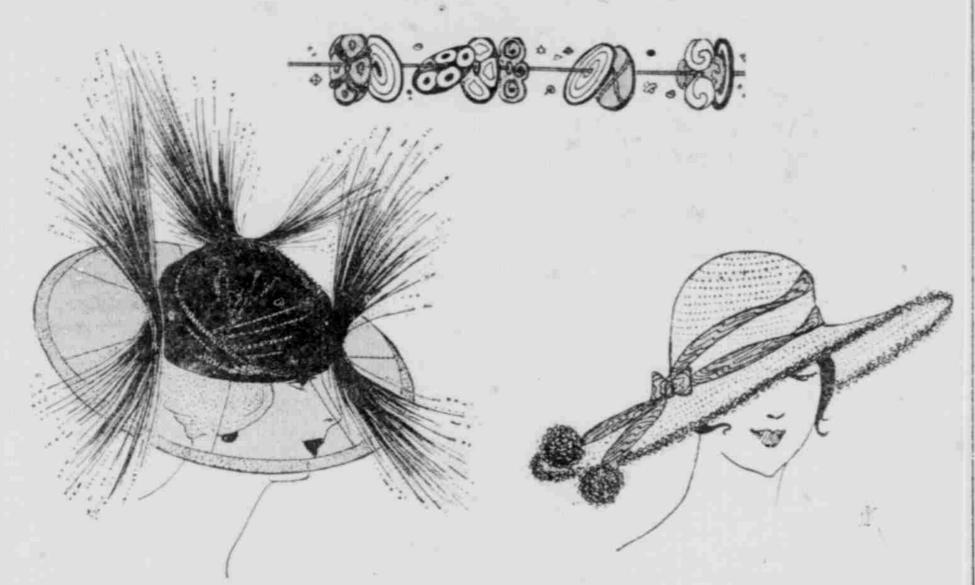
jokes and funny pictures, cut out of "Books? Oh, of course, those one the man or woman, as much in avia- the earth recede took possession of method of navigation. Much the you happened to be wearing. A magazines and papers and pasted always wants. One can do a great tion as in anything else under the me. There is a great sense of the same knowledge is required in it plainer affair for the woman who in. It was an easily made little deal of reading when traveling, al- sun. The craft is but in its infancy, noise of the machine at first, but that is required in running any kind meant to get out and dig in a real book, I know, for I have made some though I am always surprised at the and when it has reached as ad- soon even that seems to fall off be- of machine. Women are proving garden was made of khaki and lookmyself since, and it afforded a great amount of things one can find to vanced a stage of perfection as has hind. The wind against the face is themselves expert machinists, and ed as though it would stand any deal of pleasure and amusement to keep busy about, even when there motoring, there is little doubt that splendid, and to watch the villages, they will succeed in aviation." many people. Of course, there were seems to be nothing to do. And this will be a favorite and practical towns and cities, just pretty patches

when away from home."

than one wants to indulge head. Another salve for such sores serve the government as a messenday, usually. However, is the plain zinc ointment which gen, or in any capacity in which she

Dashing Sport Hats in Colored Crash

Hats for the Summer Sunlight



three graceful angles are of the same rich color.

Oh, yes, we wear velvet crowns in the middle of Leghorn has come richly into prominence this sum- seen except by those on the inner colored silks. Most of these, ac- artistic. summer. And then to prove how airily we can com- mer. It flaunts itself in all colors of the rainbow as edge of the circle continually swarm- cording to the makers who showed Moreover, they were economical: bine the seasons, we arrange a brim of maline trans- well as in its own unstained, native hue. This hat of ing about it; that was a wonderful them off, required little time in the that is they were made of good maparently under the heavy material. The model which natural colored leghorn has a circle of forget-me-nots convertible garment which, so it making being in many cases draped terials, with as little work as was uses extremes so charmingly is a deep, dull brown, at the edge of its brim, forget-me-not blue moire rib- was whispered about, possessed upon the one who was to wear them compatible with good sewing and nd the swirls of imitation aigrette which trim it at bon circling its crown and descending via the ends of eight pockets and could be worn and then cut out afterward. with little in the way of ornament,

Aviation for Women as Well as Men

"As in the use of the automobile, so in the use of the aeroplane, the

time will come when all this experi-

he a thing of the past. Women are not so reckless as men, although [

find them just as fearless. In fact, it

he as easy for women to participate

and white silk. The bag was real- er. It is a laundry case. You would women as to men," said Miss Ruth came to the front, I wanted to

"One friend made me a joke book silk stockings. I would not think of automobiles, they were a curiosity, "I shall never forget my first "I feel sure women will learn to in every window. One of these was One always enjoys those every one likes a pretty basket of method of transportation. The au- on the earth, from that nearness to tomobile was at first a sport and pas- the fleecy clouds, gives a spice to the by boat, she can send them down to "As for other gifts, you can usu- time; the present war has hastened sport that I find in nothing else. the dining room to be put on the ally think of things which a par- the evolution of the aircraft from an table. The stewards take good care ticular friend likes specially and amusement for a few, given to the of them and make them last as long one enjoys gifts more than ever masses at a fair or exhibition, to a great necessity."

less it was that I have always loved

"Aviation, like other forms of hu-jout-of-door sports; I had mastered course, much of that goes into ex- was another gown from which fy edged case, crocheted of pink that I am putting in for their moth- man activity, is open as much to the other forms, and when aviation penses. Yet this will not always be, hooks, eyes, buttons, buttonholes ly just a circle of pink linen, bound not think that such a neat little Law. "Today women are showing master that as well. There is an inall around the edge with a piece of leather trifle could be called that, fully as much interest in the work describable feeling which one exthat white crossway binding that would you? You see it contains 12 as men. Women have qualities which periences in flying; it comes with no who were allowed to fly. I was twice. buy anywhere, to which tiny clothes pins and a long length make them good aviators, too. They other form of sport or navigation. It taken up by one of their governsmall white rings were attached of line, with two glass push pins to are courageous, self-possessed, clear- take courage and daring; and one ment officials, flying at 150 miles an made more than one woman feel white tape was run through put it up with. This is useful when visioned, quick to decide in an emer- must be self-possessed, for there are hour, a speed far beyond anything inclined to go home and plant some these rings for draw strings, and the you are making short stops in ho- gency, and usually they make wise moments wen one's wits are tested to which would ever be pleasurable or sort of a garden, even if she lived the full. Yet there is an exhibaration sane, except for emergency service, in an apartment and could do no pact and convenient little thing. kerchief or two or white gloves and "When women first began to drive that compensates for all one's efforts, such as those aviators are given.

which was much enjoyed by many traveling without mine; it is so con- but the world came to recognize flight. I had the sensation of being fly as well as men, and that, per- a gorgeous, huge-pocketed, roseof my fellow passengers, as well as venient when I am in a place too their rightful place in this activity; shot out of a gun, as we rose from haps, in this time when we must go pink crepe affair, as dainty and It was just a small plain short a time to send things to the in time they will feel the same about the earth. Then, slowly, I grew into all kinds of untried fields, we charming as one could wish, and notebook, with an amusing inscriptaundry but must have clean gloves their place as aviators. The success used to the feeling, and the joy of will learn one more line of activity one beauty of it was that you could of any undertaking depends upon rising up into the air and watching for pleasure and service in this new slip it on over whatever other clothes

Housecleaning Hints.

"When I undertook my flight to New York, and made the record dis- housekeeper is taking account of ience that I could go as long as the Miss Law has offered her services aeroplane could, for I had tested refurbishing and renovating. For myself thoroughly before trying it, example an old linoleum, if not worn One usually drives at the speed of into holes may be refreshed and sea, for, as a rule, on a sore in no time. It is also very good ing men and women to fly, in Chica- after 590 miles. I had little sense little trouble. First, be sure that tensely occupied as one is in flying. With two coats of any good wash Then, one flies at about 5.000 feet to paint, letting the first one dry before 10,000 feet above the earth, to avoid supplementing it with the second. "My first experience in flying was to the floor and will make the line as a passenger in July of 1912. It leum not only look well but add took me about a month to learn to greatly to, its wearing qualities. A

operate an aeroplane, and then I oil mop will keep it clean, had my own machine made for me. One housekeeper makes her own I fly every day, wind and the floor mops as follows: She buys a is no more pleasant flying in winter ton strings and sews strips of woolthan it is motoring. Machines will, en cloth, about nine inches long, in however, in time be equipped as well their places, fastening them to the for winter as are the automobiles. I frame or binding. Mix together one had a windshield of aluminum put half cup of kerosene oil and one half on, for my own comforts. I find cup of melted parafine. Dip the mop ving a great pleasure. I especially in this and let it dry; then keep the enjoy the long cross-country trips. mop when not in use in a paper bag. that will make it convenient for the ing in warm soap suds and when dry driver to eat more easily while fly- moisten again with a good floor oil ing. But we know that, in driving or furniture polish.

a machine of any kind, one has to! It is quite possible to convert a pay attention strictly to what one is dingy dark old flood into a very attractive one, golden brown in color. "With an aeroplane, the only diffi- In the first place it should be careculty is always to find suitable land- fully and thoroughly cleaned. Next, ing places. But this difficulty is go- paint the floor over with one coat of ing to be lessened. For as this be- thin white paint. This according to comes a more popular and practical one housekeeper of an experimental means of transportation, there will nature must be so very thin that it! be regular aerial stations for us all will resemble a sheer gauzy veil. Let over the country. There will be that dry then give the floor two coats mans of the air, as there are road of orange shellac. Of course, the mans today. I use one of these now first one must be allowed to dry beand it is easy to follow a regular fore the second is put on. This will man while flying, provided one has a not only change an ugly floor into good compass. This is absolutely an attractive one but will give it a

LINOLEUM RUG.

If you have an irregularly shapmentation and reckless daring will ed kitchen, and rent your house inyou are. Instead, have a large line- vamp and new receed toe. leum rug made, just as you would Goodyear welt Soles, aluminum base in any other room, and have it plate. we will all be glad when this is no bound with dark tape. Leave more sought after. The legitimate a border around it two feet or so, work with the aeroplane is for busi- and have this piled and finished so ness and pleasure rides, and this will that the floor can be wiped with a mop and dusted.

"At present, of course, there is A Nevada woman called up her but it great scarcity of machines, and pr and ordered 5 cents worth of men their cost is enormous; yet there is for her cot. Fifteen minutes later she also splendid opportunity for earn- canceled the order. The cat had caught ing. I earn \$50,000 a year; but, of an English sparrow.

Practical Ideas in Dress along the lower edge.

Every little while the advocates of a sheer cotton fabric, plaided each side of the mandates of designers of conventional fashions, revolted and, inviting many individuals who were were exhibited, of soft silks and sat- ing, and the heautiful scarf attached interested in designing "different" ins and crepes, many of them draped to the shoulders added all the adornclothes for women and some mer- in somewhat unusual but artistic ment necessary chants who made a business of sell- lines. Tunics were popular. A pret- Among the interesting gowns ng simple, comfortable things for ty gown of foulard was cut with a shown for wear in one's own room. feminine apparel to join in an ex- flowing, pointed, one-piece tunic, for comfort was a Turkish affair of hibition of their wares, they staged which formed the waist, as well. ex- | soft sage-green silk crepe. This conthe display in the home of a well- cept for the sleeves. It slipped on sisted of bloomers or trousers gathknown clubwoman of the city and over the head and had attractive ered in at the ankle with a ruffle. sent out cards of invitation far and little three cornered insets of gay and one of those squarish Chinese wide. The response astonished them; embroidery at the neck. At the waist style smocks, finished off with a few the rooms were so filled with in- it was gathered in by a sash of the oriental ornaments. terested women that it was hard to silk, which was wrapped around A smock that any women could

rian, simplicity. There were suits top of the tunic in raglan style. This decoration was combined embroidand coat dresses made on good and was particularly becoming to the ery in wools in peacock blue, orange. practical lines and minus shoddy tall, seinder woman who were it. | red and other colors. And yet is was adornment. There was one business- | Sprays of flowers made of silk simple, and the lines as in all of the like gown which could hardly be adorned house gowns of soft, pastel- garments shown were graceful and and, with the whisking off of the many of the evening gowns. One woman could do not batik, necesdeep cuffs and the substitution, if airy garment proved to be an even- sarily but stenciling or simple emdesired, of a pair made of georgette ing coat of gauzy crepe, adorned broidery. The women of the United States and patent fastenings were entire-

Smocks and blouses were shown n hand-woven fabrics in most ex-

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quisite colors, finished off with fringe with a huge design in batik; it slipped on over the head and fell in soft A dainty summer gown was made folds, weighted down by tassels at

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of dress reform burst forth with a with fine lines of black and red or One little gown of black satin had new idea, or, often, a whole series rose color on a white ground. This a most gorgeous batik scarf with a of them, which they bestow upon was made very simply indeed. The huge butterfly in soft, misty colors waist—it was a one-piece gown— for decoration, attached to the back an always interested, albeit a not was shirred several times at one and of it. This scarf fell straight from always reforminclined, public. Not a half or two-inch intervals, which the shoulders almost to the hem of long ago a group of New York wom- caused the full skirt to hang with the gown. This freck without the en who believe firmly in their right R graceful sweep. The V neck was scarf of course so some one said cost to wear the sort of clothes they finished off simply with a sheer about \$6 in money and a mere two like and find becoming, irrespective white organdle sailor collar. hours in time. It was cut with a pointed neck and slipped on over the All sorts of gowns for the home head. The lines were long and flow-

twice, and then knotted loosely at copy with ease was made of violet Simplicity was the keynote, but it one side. The skirt was quite plain, linen with a conventional design was an artistic, not merely a utilita. The long sleeves were set into the stenciled upon it in black. With this

The popular batik appeared on and that little what almost any

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